On the absolute $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -summability of rth derived conjugate series

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Abstract. The object of the present paper is to study the absolute $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -summability of rth derived conjugate series generalizing a known result.

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1. Introduction

1.1.

In the year 1921, Nevanlinna [7] suggested and discussed an interesting method of summation called N_q method. Moursund [5] applied this method for summation of Fourier series and its conjugate series. Later, Moursund [6] developed N_{q_p} -method (where p is a positive integer) and applied it to pth derived Fourier series. Samal [9] discussed $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -method ($0 \le \alpha < 1$) and studied absolute $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -summability of some series associated with Fourier series. In his Ph.D. thesis [10] he extended N_{q_p} -method of summation to $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -method for any $\alpha \ge 0$ and studied absolute $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -summability of Fourier series. Earlier we [8] have studied absolute $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -summability of a series conjugate to a Fourier series. In the present paper we shall study the absolute $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -summability of rth $(r < \alpha)$ derived series of a conjugate series.

1.2.

DEFINITION 1. [6,10]

Let F(w) be a function of a continuous parameter w defined for all w > 0. The $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -method consists in forming the $N_{q_{\alpha}}$ -transform or mean

$$N_{q_{\alpha}}F(w) = \int_{0}^{1} q_{\alpha}(t)F(wt)dt$$

and then considering the limit

$$\lim_{w\to\infty} N_{q_{\alpha}}F(w),$$

where the class of functions $q_{\alpha}(t)$ is such that

(1) $q_{\alpha}(t) \ge 0$ for $0 \le t \le 1$,

$$(2) \int_0^1 q_{\alpha}(t) \mathrm{d}t = 1,$$

(3) $\frac{\mathrm{d}^{\beta}}{\mathrm{d}t^{\beta}}q_{\alpha}(t)$ exists and is absolutely continuous for $0 \le t \le 1, \beta = 1, 2, \dots, k-1$, where $|\alpha| = k$,

(4)
$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^{\beta}}{\mathrm{d}t^{\beta}}q_{\alpha}(t) = 0 \text{ for } t = 1, \beta = 0, 1, 2, \dots, k-1,$$

(5)
$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^k}{\mathrm{d}t^k} q_{\alpha}(t)$$
 exists for $0 < t < 1$,

(6) $(-1)^k \frac{d^k}{dt^k} q_{\alpha}(t) \ge 0$ and monotonic increasing for 0 < t < 1,

(7)
$$\int_0^t \frac{Q_k(u)}{u^{1+\alpha-k}} \mathrm{d}u = O\left(\frac{Q_k(t)}{t^{\alpha-k}}\right),$$

where

$$Q_k(t) = \int_{1-t}^1 (-1)^k \frac{\mathrm{d}^k}{\mathrm{d}u^k} q_\alpha(u) \mathrm{d}u.$$

Also we set

$$Q(t) = \int_{1}^{1} q_{\alpha}(u) du.$$

If $\lim_{w\to\infty} N_{q\alpha}F(w)$ exists, we say that $N_{q\alpha}$ -limit of F(w) exists.

DEFINITION 2. [9,10]

Let $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n$ be an infinite series with $S(w) = \sum_{n \leq w} u_n$. If $\lim_{w \to \infty} \{\sum_{n \leq w} u_n Q(1 - (n/w))\} = 1$, we say that $\sum u_n$ is summable by $N_{q\alpha}$ -method to the sum 1. In short we write that $\sum u_n = 1(N_{q\alpha})$. Further the series $\sum u_n$ is said to be $|N_{q\alpha}|$ -summable (absolute $N_{q\alpha}$ -summable) if

$$\int_{A}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \sum_{n \leq w} n u_{n} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w} \right) \right| < \infty$$

for some positive constant A.

For $\alpha=0$, the method reduces to the original N_q method [7] and if α is any positive integer p, then the method reduces to N_{q_p} -method of Moursund [6].

1.3.

Let f(t) be a periodic function with period 2π and Lebesque integrable over $(-\pi,\pi)$.

Let

$$f(t) \sim \frac{1}{2}a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nt + b_n \sin nt) \equiv \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n(t).$$
 (1.3.1)

The series conjugate to (1.3.1) at t = x is given by

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (b_n \cos nx - a_n \sin nx) \equiv \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n(x),$$

$$P(u) = \sum_{i=0}^{r-1} \frac{\theta_i}{i!} u^i \quad \text{for} \quad -\pi \le u \le \pi,$$

$$(1.3.2)$$

where θ_i s for $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, r - 1$ are arbitrary constants.

$$\begin{split} h(u) &= \frac{\{f(x+u) - P(u)\} - (-1)^r \{f(x-u) - P(-u)\}}{2u^r}, \\ H_0(t) &= h(t), \\ H_{\beta}(t) &= \frac{1}{\Gamma(\beta)} \int_0^t (t-u)^{\beta-1} h(u) \mathrm{d}u, \quad (\beta > 0), \\ h_{\beta}(t) &= \Gamma(1+\beta) t^{-\beta} H_{\beta}(t), \quad (\beta \ge 0). \end{split}$$

2. Purpose of the present paper

In the present paper we shall prove the following theorems:

Theorem 1. Let $\beta = \alpha - r$. If $H_{\beta}(+0) = 0$ and $\int_0^{\pi} t^{-\beta} |dH_{\beta}(t)| < \infty$, where $\beta > 0$, then the rth derived series of the conjugate series of f(t) at t = x is $|N_{q_{\alpha}}|$ summable.

Theorem 2. Let $\rho = \alpha - r - 1$. If $\rho \ge 0$ and $\int_0^{\pi} t^{-1} |h_{\rho}(t)| dt < \infty$, then the rth derived series of the conjugate series of f(t) at t = x is $|N_{q_{\alpha}}|$ -summable.

By taking $\beta = \rho + 1, \rho \ge 0$ in Theorem 1, we can obtain Theorem 2 at once as it is known [4] that

$$\begin{split} H_{\rho+1}(+0) &= 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_0^\pi t^{-\rho-1} |\mathrm{d} H_{\rho+1}(t)| < \infty \\ &\iff h_{\rho+1}(t) \in BV(0,\pi) \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{h_{\rho+1}(t)}{t} \in L(0,\pi) \\ &\iff \frac{h_{\rho}(t)}{t} \in L(0,\pi). \end{split}$$

By taking $q_{\alpha}(t) = (\alpha + \delta)(1 - t)^{\alpha + \delta - 1}$, where $\delta > 0$ and $\alpha + \delta < k + 1$ ($[\alpha] = k$) in Theorems 1 and 2, we obtain the following corollaries respectively.

COROLLARY 1. [3]

If $H_{\beta}(+0) = 0$ and $\int_0^{\pi} t^{-\beta} |dH_{\beta}(t)| < \infty$, then the rth derived series of the conjugate series of f(t) at t = x is summable $|C, \beta + r + \delta|$, where $\beta > 0$ and $\delta > 0$.

COROLLARY 2. [3]

If $\rho \geq 0$ and $\int_0^{\pi} t^{-1} |h_{\rho}(t)| dt < \infty$, then the rth derived series of the conjugate series of f(t) at t = x is summable $|C, \rho + r + 1 + \delta|$.

3. Notations and lemmas

3.1. Notations

For our purpose we use the following notations throughout this paper.

$$[\alpha] = k,$$

$$m = \min(k - r, r),$$

$$q^{k}(u) = (-1)^{k} \frac{d^{k}}{du^{k}} q_{\alpha}(u),$$

$$(\cos nu)_{j} = \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{j} \cos nu,$$

$$S^{i,j}(x, u) = \sum_{n \le x} (x - n)^{i} (\cos nu)_{j},$$

$$G_{i}(w, u) = \sum_{n \le w} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w}\right) \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{k+1-i} \cos nu, \quad \text{for} \quad i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m,$$

$$g_{i}(x, w, u) = \frac{1}{k!} (-1)^{k} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^{k} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \frac{d}{dx} S^{k,k+1-i}(x, u)$$

$$\text{for} \quad i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, m.$$

3.2. Lemmas

We need the following lemmas for the proof of our theorem.

Lemma 1 [1]. If $\beta > \alpha > 0$, $H_{\alpha}(t)$ is of $BV(0,\pi)$ and $H_{\alpha}(+0) = 0$, then $H_{\beta}(t)$ is an integral in $(0,\pi)$ and for almost all values of t,

$$H'_{\beta}(t) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(\beta - \alpha)} \int_0^t (t - u)^{\beta - \alpha - 1} \mathrm{d}H_{\alpha}(u).$$

Lemma 2 [6]. If $\alpha \geq 1$, the kernel $q_{\alpha}(t)$ is monotonic decreasing, its derivatives of odd orders less than k are negative and monotonic increasing, its derivatives of even orders less than k are positive and monotonic decreasing and there exists a constant A_k such that

$$\left| \frac{\mathrm{d}^{\beta}}{\mathrm{d}t^{\beta}} q_{\alpha}(t) \right| < A_k \quad (\beta = 0, 1, 2, \dots, k-1)$$

and

$$\int_0^1 \left| \frac{\mathrm{d}^k}{\mathrm{d}t^k} \, q_\alpha(t) \right| \mathrm{d}t < A_k.$$

Lemma 3 [10]. $Q_k(t)$ is continuous and monotonic increasing function of t, $Q_k(t) \ge 0$, Q(0) = 0 and Q(1) = 1.

This follows directly from the definition of Q(t) and $Q_k(t)$.

Lemma 4 [10,8]. $\int_0^1 q^k(t)/((1-t)^{\alpha-k})dt$ exists.

Lemma 5 [8]. *Let* x > 0.

(i) If $1/x < u \le \pi$, then

$$S^{i,j}(x,u) = \begin{cases} O(x^i u^{-j-1}) & \text{for} \quad 0 \le j \le i, \\ O(x^j u^{-i-1}) & \text{for} \quad j > j \ge 0. \end{cases}$$

(ii) If $1/x \ge u > 0$, then

$$S^{i,j}(x,u) = O(x^{i+j+1}).$$

Lemma 6 [2]. Let $\lambda = {\lambda_n}$ be a positive monotonic increasing sequence with $\lambda_n \to \infty$ as $n \to \infty$. Then

$$A_{\lambda}(x) = A_{\lambda}^{0}(x) = \sum_{\lambda_{n} \le x} a_{n}$$

and

$$A_{\lambda}^{r}(x) = \sum_{\lambda_{n} < x} (x - \lambda_{n})^{r} a_{n}(r > 0).$$

If k is a positive integer,

$$A_{\lambda}(x) = \frac{1}{k!} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k A_{\lambda}^k(x).$$

Lemma 7 [8,10]. *For* $\alpha \ge 1$,

$$\sum_{n \leq w} (-1)^n n^k q_\alpha \left(\frac{n}{w}\right) = O\left\{q^k \left(1 - \frac{1}{w}\right)\right\} + O\left\{wQ_k \left(\frac{1}{w}\right)\right\}.$$

Lemma 8 [8,10]. *For* $\alpha \ge 1$ *and* r = 0, 1, 2, ..., k-1,

$$\sum_{n \le w} (-1)^n n^r q_\alpha \left(\frac{n}{w}\right) = O(1).$$

Lemma 9. *For* i = 0, 1, 2, ..., k-1,

$$\sum_{n\leq w} (-1)^n n^i \in |Nq_{\alpha}|.$$

Proof. For i = 0, 1, 2, ..., k - 2,

$$\int_{1}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \sum_{n \leq w} n(-1)^{n} n^{i} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w} \right) \right| = \int_{1}^{\infty} O(1) \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \quad \text{by Lemma 8}$$

$$= O(1)$$

and

$$\int_{1}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \sum_{n \leq w} (-1)^{n} n^{k} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w} \right) \right|$$

$$= \int_{1}^{\infty} O\left\{ q^{k} \left(1 - \frac{1}{w} \right) \right\} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}}$$

$$+ \int_{1}^{\infty} O\left\{ wQ_{k} \left(\frac{1}{w} \right) \right\} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \quad \text{by Lemma 7}$$

$$= O\left(\int_{0}^{1} q^{k}(u) \mathrm{d}u \right) + O\left(\int_{0}^{1} \frac{Q_{k}(u)}{u} \, \mathrm{d}u \right)$$

$$= O(1)$$

by Lemma 2 and the definitions of $q^k(u)$ and $Q_k(u)$. This completes the proof of Lemma 9.

Lemma 10. *For* i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m,

$$G_i(w,u) = \int_1^w g_i(x,w,u) dx.$$

Proof.

$$G_{i}(w,u) = \sum_{n \leq w} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w}\right) \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k+1-i} \cos nu$$

$$= q_{\alpha}(1) \sum_{n \leq w} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k+1-i} \cos nu$$

$$- \int_{1}^{w} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \left\{ \sum_{n \leq x} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k+1-i} \cos nu \right\} \mathrm{d}x$$

$$= - \int_{1}^{w} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \frac{1}{k!} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^{k} \left\{ \sum_{n \leq x} (x-n)^{k} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k+1-i} \cos nu \right\} \mathrm{d}x$$
by Lemma 6
$$= \left[\frac{1}{k!} \sum_{\rho=1}^{k-1} (-1)^{\rho} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^{\rho} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^{k-\rho} S^{k,k+1-i} (x,u) \right]_{x=1}^{w}$$

$$+ \int_{1}^{w} \frac{(-1)^{k}}{k!} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^{k} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} S^{k,k+1-i} (x,u) \mathrm{d}x$$
(integrating by parts for $(k-1)$ times)
$$= \int_{1}^{w} g_{i}(x,w,u) \mathrm{d}x$$

as the integrated part vanishes for x = w and x = 1.

Lemma 11. *For* $wt \le \pi$ *and* i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m,

$$\int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_{i}(w,u) du = O(w^{\alpha-r+1}).$$

Proof. For i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m,

$$\begin{split} & \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_{i}(w,u) \mathrm{d}u \\ & = \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \left(\sum_{n \leq w} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w} \right) \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u} \right)^{k+1-i} \cos nu \right) \mathrm{d}u \\ & = \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} O(w^{k+2-i}) \mathrm{d}u \\ & = O\left\{ \left(t + \frac{1}{w} \right)^{r-i} w^{k+2-i} \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \mathrm{d}u \right\} \\ & = O\left\{ \left(\frac{wt+1}{w} \right)^{r-i} w^{k+2-i} \cdot \frac{1}{w^{k-\alpha+1}} \right\} \\ & = O(w^{\alpha-r+1}) \quad \text{as} \quad wt \leq \pi. \end{split}$$

Lemma 12. *For* i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m *and* $wt \le \pi$,

$$\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_i(w,u) du = O(w^{\alpha-r+1}).$$

Proof. By the use of Lemma 10,

$$\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i}(u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_{i}(w,u) du$$

$$= \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i}(u-t)^{k-\alpha} du \int_{1}^{w} g_{i}(x,w,u) dx$$

$$= \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i}(u-t)^{k-\alpha} du \frac{1}{k!}$$

$$\times \int_{1}^{w} (-1)^{k} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^{k} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \frac{d}{dx} S^{k,k+1-i}(x,u) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \int_{1}^{w} (-1)^{k} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^{k} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) dx$$

$$\times \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i}(u-t)^{k-\alpha} S^{k-1,k+1-i}(x,u) du$$

$$= \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \int_{1}^{w} (-1)^{k} \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^{k} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) dx w^{\alpha-k}$$

$$\times \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-i} S^{k-1,k+1-i} (x,u) du, \qquad (3.2.1)$$

for some $t + (1/w) < \xi < \pi$, by an application of the mean value theorem. For $i \ge 2$, using Lemma 5(i) in (3.2.1), we get

$$\begin{split} &\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i}(u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_i(w,u) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \int_{1}^{w} (-1)^k \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) w^{\alpha-k} \mathrm{d}x \\ &\quad \times \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-i} O(x^{k-1} u^{-k-2+i}) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \int_{1}^{w} (-1)^k \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) w^{\alpha-k} O\left\{\frac{x^{k-1}}{\left(t+\frac{1}{w}\right)^{k-r+1}}\right\} \mathrm{d}x \\ &= O\left(w^{\alpha-r+1} \int_{1}^{w} (-1)^k \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) x^{k-1} \mathrm{d}x\right) \\ &= O\left(w^{\alpha-r+1} \int_{0}^{1} q^k(\theta) \mathrm{d}\theta\right) \\ &= O\left(w^{\alpha-r+1}\right) \quad \text{by Lemma 2.} \end{split}$$

For i = 1,

$$\begin{split} &\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-i} \, S^{k-1,k+1-i} \, (x,u) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-1} \, S^{k-1,k} \, (x,u) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= \left[u^{r-1} \, S^{k-1,k-1} \, (x,u) \right]_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} \\ &\quad - (r-1) \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-2} \, S^{k-1,k-1} \, (x,u) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= O\left\{ \frac{x^{k-1}}{\left(t + \frac{1}{w}\right)^{k-r+1}} \right\} + \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-2} O(x^{k-1}u^{-k}) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= O(w^{2k-r}). \end{split}$$
 by Lemma 5(i)

Similarly, for i = 0, integrating by parts twice and using Lemma 5(i), it follows that

$$\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-i} S^{k-1,k+1-i}(x,u) du = O(w^{2k-r}).$$

Hence, for $i \le 1$, using the above estimation in (3.2.1)

$$\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_i(w,u) du$$

$$= O\left(\int_1^w (-1)^k \left(\frac{d}{dx}\right)^k q_\alpha \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) w^{\alpha+k-r} dx\right)$$

$$= O\left(w^{\alpha-r+1} \int_0^1 q^k(\theta) d\theta\right)$$

$$= O(w^{\alpha-r+1}) \quad \text{by Lemma 2.}$$

This completes the proof of Lemma 12.

Lemma 13.

$$\int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} du \int_{1}^{w-(\pi/t)} g_{i}(x, w, u) dx$$
$$= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k}}{t^{k+1-r}} q^{k} \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)\right).$$

Proof. For some $1 < \xi < w - (\pi/t)$, by an application of the mean value theorem,

$$\begin{split} & \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} du \int_{1}^{w-(\pi/t)} g_{i}(x,w,u) dx \\ & = \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} du \\ & \times \int_{1}^{w-(\pi/t)} \frac{(-1)^{k}}{k!} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^{k} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} S^{k,k+1-i}(x,u) \mathrm{d}x \\ & = \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} \frac{1}{k!} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \left[(-1)^{k} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^{k} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \right]_{x=w-(\pi/t)} \mathrm{d}u \\ & \times \int_{\xi}^{w-(\pi/t)} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} S^{k,k+1-i}(x,u) \mathrm{d}x \\ & = \frac{1}{k!} \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} \frac{u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha}}{w^{k}} q^{k} \left(1-\frac{\pi}{wt}\right) \left[S^{k,k+1-i}(x,u) \right]_{x=\xi}^{w-(\pi/t)} \mathrm{d}u. \end{split}$$

$$(3.2.2)$$

For i = 0, using Lemma 5(i) in (3.2.2), we get

$$\int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} du \int_{1}^{w-(\pi/t)} g_{i}(x, w, u) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{k!} \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} \frac{u^{r} (u-t)^{k-\alpha}}{w^{k}} q^{k} \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right) O\left\{\frac{\left(w - \frac{\pi}{t}\right)^{k+1}}{u^{k+1}}\right\} du$$

$$\begin{split} &=O\left(\frac{wq^k\left(1-\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k+1-r}}\int_t^{t+(1/w)}(u-t)^{k-\alpha}\,\mathrm{d}u\right)\\ &=O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k}q^k\left(1-\frac{\pi}{kt}\right)}{t^{k+1-r}}\right). \end{split}$$

For $i \ge 1$, using Lemma 5(i) in (3.2.2), we obtain

$$\begin{split} &\int_t^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \mathrm{d}u \int_1^{w-(\pi/t)} g_i(x,w,u) \mathrm{d}x \\ &= \frac{1}{k!} \int_t^{t+(1/w)} \frac{u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha}}{w^k} q^k \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right) O\left(\frac{w^k}{u^{k+2-i}}\right) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= O\left(\frac{q^k \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k+2-r}} \int_t^{t+(1/w)} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \mathrm{d}u\right) \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k+1}}{t^{k+2-r}} q^k \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)\right). \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k}}{t^{k+1-r}} q^k \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)\right) \quad \text{as} \quad wt > \pi. \end{split}$$

This completes the proof of Lemma 13

Lemma 14. For i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m,

$$\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} S^{k,k+1-i} \left(w - \frac{\pi}{t}, u \right) \mathrm{d}u = O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha}}{t^{k+1-r}} \right).$$

Proof. By an application of the mean value theorem for some $t + (1/w) < \xi < \pi$,

$$\begin{split} &\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i}(u-t)^{k-\alpha} S^{k,k+1-i} \left(w - \frac{\pi}{t}, u\right) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= w^{\alpha-k} \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-i} S^{k,k+1-i} \left(w - \frac{\pi}{t}, u\right) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= w^{\alpha-k} \left[u^{r-i} S^{k,k-i} \left(w - \frac{\pi}{t}, u\right) \right]_{u=t+(1/w)}^{\xi} \\ &- (r-i) w^{\alpha-k} \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-i-1} S^{k,k-i} \left(w - \frac{\pi}{t}, u\right) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= w^{\alpha-k} O\left\{ \frac{w^k}{\left(t + \frac{1}{w}\right)^{k+1-r}} \right\} + w^{\alpha-k} \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-i-1} O\left(\frac{w^k}{u^{k+1-i}}\right) \mathrm{d}u \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha}}{t^{k+1-r}}\right) + O\left(w^{\alpha} \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} \frac{1}{u^{k+2-r}} \mathrm{d}u\right) \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha}}{t^{k+1-r}}\right). \end{split}$$

$$\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} du \int_{1}^{w-(\pi/t)} g_{i}(x, w, u) dx$$

$$= O\left\{ \frac{w^{\alpha-k} q^{k} \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k+1-r}} \right\}.$$

Proof. For some $1 < \eta < w - (\pi/t)$, by an application of the mean value theorem

$$\begin{split} &\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \mathrm{d}u \int_{t}^{w-(\pi/t)} g_{i}(x,w,u) \mathrm{d}x \\ &= \frac{1}{k!} \int_{t-(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \mathrm{d}u \left[(-1)^{k} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} \right)^{k} \, q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{x}{w} \right) \right]_{x=w-(\pi/t)} \\ &\times \int_{\eta}^{w-(\pi/t)} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} S^{k,k+1-i}(x,u) \mathrm{d}x \\ &= \frac{q^{k} \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt} \right)}{k! \, w^{k}} \left\{ \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} S^{k,k+1-i} \left(w - \frac{\pi}{t}, u \right) \mathrm{d}u \right. \\ &- \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \, S^{k,k+1-i}(\eta,u) \mathrm{d}u \right\} \\ &= O\left(\frac{q^{k} \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt} \right) w^{\alpha}}{w^{k} \, t^{k+1-r}} \right) \\ &= O\left(\frac{q^{k} \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt} \right) w^{\alpha}}{t^{k+1-r}} \right), \end{split}$$

since by Lemma 14, the first integral is $O(w^{\alpha}/(t^{k+1-r}))$ and the second integral is dominated by the first integral.

Lemma 16. *For* i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m *and* $wu > \pi$,

$$\int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} g_i(x, w, u) dx = O\left(w^2 u^{-k+i} Q_k\left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)\right).$$

Proof. For $0 \le 1$, by use of Lemma 5(i),

$$\int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} g_i(x, w, u) dx$$

$$= \int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} \frac{(-1)^k}{(k-1)!} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_\alpha \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) S^{k-1, k+1-i}(x, u) dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} (-1)^k \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_\alpha \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) O\left(\frac{x^{k+1-i}}{u^k}\right) dx$$

$$= O\left(\frac{w^{2-i}}{u^k} \int_{1-(\pi/wt)}^{1} q^k(\theta) d\theta\right)$$

$$= O\left(w^2 u^{-k+i} Q_k \left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)\right) \quad \text{as} \quad wu > \pi.$$

For $i \ge 2$, by use of Lemma 5(i)

$$\begin{split} &\int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} g_i(x, w, u) \mathrm{d}x \\ &= \int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} \frac{(-1)^k}{(k-1)!} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_\alpha \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) S^{k-1, k+1-i}(x, u) \mathrm{d}x \\ &= \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} (-1)^k \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_\alpha \left(\frac{x}{w}\right) O\left(\frac{x^{k-1}}{u^{k+2-i}}\right) \mathrm{d}x \\ &= O\left(u^{-k-2+i} \int_{1-(\pi/wt)}^{1} q^k(\theta) \mathrm{d}\theta\right) \\ &= O\left(w^2 u^{-k+i} Q_k \left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)\right) \quad \text{as} \quad wu > \pi. \end{split}$$

Hence

$$\int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} g_i(x, w, u) dx = O\left(w^2 u^{-k+i} Q_k\left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)\right).$$

Lemma 17. *For* i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m *and* $wt > \pi$,

$$\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} \, S^{k,k+1-i}(x,u) \mathrm{d}u = O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha}}{t^{k-r}}\right).$$

Proof. Let i = 0. By mean value theorem for some $t + (1/w) < \xi < \pi$,

$$\begin{split} & \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} S^{k,k+1-i} (x,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \\ & = k \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^r (u-t)^{k-\alpha} S^{k-1,k+1} (x,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \\ & = k w^{\alpha-k} \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^r S^{k-1,k+1} (x,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \\ & = k w^{\alpha-k} \left[u^r S^{k-1,k} (x,u) \right]_{u=t+(1/w)}^{\xi} \\ & - k r w^{\alpha-k} \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi} u^{r-1} S^{k-1,k} (x,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} &= kw^{\alpha-k}O\left\{\frac{x^{k}}{(t+(1/w))^{k-r}}\right\} \\ &- krw^{\alpha-k}\left[u^{r-1}S^{k-1,k-1}(x,u)\right]_{u=t+(1/w)}^{\xi} \\ &+ kr(r-1)w^{\alpha-k}\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi}u^{r-2}S^{k-1,k-1}(x,u)\,\mathrm{d}u \quad \text{by Lemma 5(i)} \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha}}{t^{k-r}}\right) + krw^{\alpha-k}O\left\{\frac{x^{k-1}}{(t+\frac{1}{w})^{k-r+1}}\right\} \\ &+ kr(r-1)w^{\alpha-k}\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\xi}u^{r-2}O\left(\frac{x^{k-1}}{u^{k}}\right)\,\mathrm{d}u \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha}}{t^{k-r}}\right) + O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-1}}{t^{k-r+1}}\right) \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha}}{t^{k-r}}\right) \quad \text{as} \quad wt > \pi. \end{split}$$

For i > 1, using the technique used in the proof of Lemma 14, it can be proved that

$$\int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} S^{k,k+1-i}(x,u) \, \mathrm{d}u$$

$$= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-1}}{t^{k-r+1}}\right)$$

$$= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha}}{t^{k-r}}\right) \quad \text{as} \quad wt > \pi.$$

This completes the proof of Lemma 17.

Lemma 18. *For* i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m,

$$\int_1^{\pi/t} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^2} \left| \int_t^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_i(w,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| = O\left(\frac{1}{t^{\alpha-r}}\right).$$

Proof.

$$\begin{split} & \int_{1}^{\pi/t} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \int_{t}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_{i}(w,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| \\ & \leq \int_{1}^{\pi/t} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_{i}(w,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| \\ & + \int_{1}^{\pi/t} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_{i}(w,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| \\ & = \int_{1}^{\pi/t} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} O(w^{\alpha-r+1}), \quad \text{by Lemmas 11 and 12} \\ & = O\left(\frac{1}{t^{\alpha-r}}\right). \end{split}$$

236 A K Sahoo Lemma 19. For i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m and $wt > \pi$,

$$\begin{split} & \int_t^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_i(w,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \\ & = O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k} q^k \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}}\right) + O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k+1} Q_k \left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r}}\right). \end{split}$$

Proof. Using Lemma 10,

$$\begin{split} & \int_{t}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_{i}(w,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \\ & = \int_{t}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \, \mathrm{d}u \int_{1}^{w} g_{i}(x,w,u) \, \mathrm{d}x \\ & = \int_{t}^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \, \mathrm{d}u \int_{1}^{w} g_{i}(x,w,u) \, \mathrm{d}x \\ & + \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \, \mathrm{d}u \int_{1}^{w} g_{i}(x,w,u) \, \mathrm{d}x \\ & = J_{1} + J_{2}, \quad \text{say}. \end{split}$$

Using Lemmas 13 and 16,

$$\begin{split} J_1 &= \int_t^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \, \mathrm{d}u \int_1^{w-(\pi/t)} g_i(x,w,u) \, \mathrm{d}x \\ &+ \int_t^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \, \mathrm{d}u \int_{w-(\pi/t)}^w g_i(x,w,u) \, \mathrm{d}x \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k} q^k \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}}\right) \\ &+ O\left(\int_t^{t+(1/w)} u^{r-k} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} w^2 Q_k \left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right) \, \mathrm{d}u\right) \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k} q^k \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}}\right) + O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k+1} Q_k \left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r}}\right) \quad \text{as} \quad k \ge r \end{split}$$

and

$$\begin{split} J_2 &= \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \, \mathrm{d}u \int_{1}^{w-(\pi/t)} g_i(x,w,u) \, \mathrm{d}x \\ &+ \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \, \mathrm{d}u \int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} g_i(x,w,u) \, \mathrm{d}x \\ &= O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k} q^k \left(1-\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}}\right) + \int_{w-(\pi/t)}^{w} \, \mathrm{d}x \\ &\times \int_{t+(1/w)}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} g_i(x,w,u) \, \mathrm{d}x \quad \text{by Lemma 15,} \end{split}$$

$$=O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k}q^k\left(1-\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}}\right) + \frac{1}{k!}\int_{w-(\pi/t)}^w (-1)^k \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_\alpha\left(\frac{x}{w}\right) \,\mathrm{d}x$$

$$\times \int_{t+(1/w)}^\pi u^{r-i}(u-t)^{k-\alpha} \frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x} S^{k,k+1-i}(x,u) \,\mathrm{d}x$$

$$=O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k}q^k\left(1-\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}}\right)$$

$$+\frac{1}{k!}\int_{w-(\pi/t)}^w (-1)^k \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^k q_\alpha\left(\frac{x}{w}\right) O\left(\frac{w^\alpha}{t^{k-r}}\right) \,\mathrm{d}x \quad \text{by Lemma 17}$$

$$=O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k}q^k\left(1-\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}}\right) + O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k+1}}{t^{k-r}}\int_{1-(\pi/wt)}^1 q^k(\theta) \,\mathrm{d}\theta\right)$$

$$=O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k}q^k\left(1-\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}}\right) + O\left(\frac{w^{\alpha-k+1}Q_k\left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r}}\right).$$

This completes the proof of Lemma 19.

Lemma 20. *For* i = 0, 1, 2, ..., m,

$$\int_{\pi/t}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^2} \left| \int_{t}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_i(w,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| = O\left(\frac{1}{t^{\alpha-r}}\right).$$

Proof. By the use of Lemma 19, we get

$$\begin{split} &\int_{\pi/t}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^2} \left| \int_{t}^{\pi} u^{r-i} (u-t)^{k-\alpha} G_i(w,u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| \\ &= O\left(\int_{\pi/t}^{\infty} \frac{w^{\alpha-k-2} q^k \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r+1}} \, \mathrm{d}w \right) + O\left(\int_{\pi/t}^{\infty} \frac{w^{\alpha-k-1} Q_k \left(\frac{\pi}{wt}\right)}{t^{k-r}} \, \mathrm{d}w \right) \\ &= O\left(\frac{1}{t^{\alpha-r}} \int_{0}^{1} \frac{q^k(\theta)}{(1-\theta)^{\alpha-k}} \, \mathrm{d}\theta \right) + O\left(\frac{1}{t^{\alpha-r}} \int_{0}^{1} \frac{Q_k(u)}{u^{\alpha-k+1}} \, \mathrm{d}u \right) \\ &= O\left(\frac{1}{t^{\alpha-r}} \right) \quad \text{by Lemma 4.} \end{split}$$

4. Proof of the theorem

Proof of Theorem 1. We have for $r \ge 1$,

$$\left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^r B_n(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{(-1)^r}{2} \left\{ f(x+u) - (-1)^r f(x-w) \right\}$$

$$\times \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^r \sin nu \, \mathrm{d}u$$

$$= (-1)^r \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} h(u) u^r \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^r \sin nu \, \mathrm{d}u$$

$$+ (-1)^r \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{2} \left\{ P(u) - (-1)^r P(-u) \right\} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^r \sin nu \, \mathrm{d}u$$

$$= \alpha_n + \beta_n, \quad \text{say}.$$

For the proof of our theorem it is enough to show that

$$\sum \alpha_n \in |N_{q_\alpha}|$$

and

$$\sum \beta_n \in |N_{q_\alpha}|.$$

Now

$$n\alpha_{n} = (-1)^{r} \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\pi} nh(u)u^{r} \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{r} \sin nu \, du$$

$$= (-1)^{r+1} \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\pi} h(u)u^{r} \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{r+1} \cos nu \, du$$

$$= (-1)^{r+1} \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\sum_{j=1}^{k-r} (-1)^{j-1} H_{j}(u) \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{j-1} \right]$$

$$\times \left\{ u^{r} \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{r+1} \cos nu \right\}_{u=0}^{\pi}$$

$$+ (-1)^{k+1} \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\pi} H_{k-r}(u) \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{k-r} \left\{ u^{r} \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{r+1} \cos nu \right\} du$$

$$= J_{1}(n) + J_{2}(n), \quad \text{say}. \tag{4.1}$$

Since for $j=1,2,\ldots,k-r,H_j(+0)=O$ it is clear that $J_1(n)$ is the sum of the terms containing $(-1)^n n^p$, where p is even and $r+1 \le p \le k$.

By the use of Lemma 9, for p = 1, 2, ..., k,

$$\int_{1}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \sum_{n \leq w} n^{p} (-1)^{n} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w} \right) \right| < \infty.$$

Hence

$$\int_{1}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \sum_{n \leq w} J_{1}(n) q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w} \right) \right| < \infty. \tag{4.2}$$

Now

$$\begin{split} J_2(n) &= (-1)^{k+1} \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi H_{k-r}(u) \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k-r} \left\{ u^r \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{r+1} \cos nu \right\} \mathrm{d}u \\ &= \frac{2(-1)^{k+1}}{\pi \Gamma(k-\alpha+1)} \int_0^\pi \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k-r} \left\{ u^r \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{r+1} \cos nu \right\} \mathrm{d}u \\ &\quad \times \int_0^u (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \mathrm{d}H_\beta(t) \quad \text{by Lemma 1 as } \beta = \alpha - r \text{ and } [\alpha] = k \\ &= \frac{2(-1)^{k+1}}{\pi \Gamma(k-\alpha+1)} \int_0^\pi \mathrm{d}H_\beta(t) \int_t^\pi (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k-r} \\ &\quad \times \left\{ u^r \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{r+1} \cos nu \right\} \mathrm{d}u \\ &= \frac{2(-1)^{k+1}}{\pi \Gamma(k-\alpha+1)} \int_0^\pi \mathrm{d}H_\beta(t) \int_t^\pi (u-t)^{k-\alpha} \\ &\quad \times \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{k-r}{i} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^i u^r \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k+1-i} \cos nu \right\} \mathrm{d}u \\ &\quad \text{where } m = \min(k-r,r) \\ &= \frac{2(-1)^{k+1}}{\pi \Gamma(k-\alpha+1)} \sum_{i=0}^m \binom{k-r}{i} \frac{r!}{(r-i)!} \int_0^\pi \mathrm{d}H_\beta(t) \\ &\quad \times \int_t^\pi (u-t)^{k-\alpha} u^{r-i} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u}\right)^{k+1-i} \cos nu \, \mathrm{d}u. \end{split}$$

By the use of Lemmas 20 and 18,

$$\begin{split} &\int_{1}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \sum_{n \leq w} J_{2}(n) q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w} \right) \right| \\ &\leq \frac{2}{\pi \Gamma(k - \alpha + 1)} \sum_{i=0}^{m} \binom{k - r}{i} \frac{r!}{(r - i)!} \int_{0}^{\pi} \left| \mathrm{d}H_{\beta}(t) \right| \int_{1}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \\ &\times \left| \int_{t}^{\pi} u^{r - i} (u - t)^{k - \alpha} G_{i}(w, u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi \Gamma(k - \alpha + 1)} \sum_{i=0}^{m} \binom{k - r}{i} \frac{r!}{(r - i)!} \int_{0}^{\pi} \left| \mathrm{d}H_{\beta}(t) \right| \\ &\times \left\{ \int_{1}^{\pi/t} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \int_{t}^{\pi} u^{r - i} (u - t)^{k - \alpha} G_{i}(w, u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| \right. \\ &+ \left. \int_{\pi/t}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \int_{t}^{\pi} u^{r - i} (u - t)^{k - \alpha} G_{i}(w, u) \, \mathrm{d}u \right| \right\} \end{split}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi\Gamma(k-\alpha+1)} \sum_{i=0}^{m} \binom{k-i}{i} \frac{r!}{(r-i)!} \int_{0}^{\pi} \left| dH_{\beta}(t) \right| O\left(\frac{1}{t^{\alpha-r}}\right)$$
by Lemmas 18 and 20
$$= O\left(\sum_{i=0}^{m} \binom{k-r}{i} \frac{r!}{(r-i)!} \int_{0}^{\pi} \frac{\left| dH_{\beta}(t) \right|}{t^{\beta}} \right) \quad \text{as } \alpha - r = \beta$$

$$= O(1). \tag{4.3}$$

From (4.1), (4.2) and (4.3) it is clear that

$$\sum \alpha_n \in |N_{q_\alpha}|.$$

Let r be an odd number, i.e. r = 2p + 1, where p = 0, 1, 2, ... Then

$$\beta_{n} = -\frac{2}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\pi} \frac{1}{2} \{P(u) + P(-u)\} \left(\frac{d}{du}\right)^{2p+1} \sin nu \, du$$

$$= (-1)^{p+1} \frac{2}{\pi} n^{2p+1} \int_{0}^{\pi} \left(\sum_{j=0}^{p} \frac{\theta_{2j} u^{2j}}{(2j)!}\right) \cos nu \, du$$

$$= (-1)^{p+1} \frac{2}{\pi} n^{2p+1} \sum_{j=0}^{p} \frac{\theta_{2j}}{(2j)!} \int_{0}^{u} u^{2j} \cos nu \, du$$

$$= (-1)^{p+1} \frac{2}{\pi} n^{2p+1} \sum_{j=1}^{p} \frac{\theta_{2j}}{(2j)!} (-1)^{n}$$

$$\times \left(\sum_{\mu=1}^{j} (-1)^{\mu+1} n^{-2\mu} \pi^{2j-2\mu+1} \frac{(2j)!}{(2j-2\mu)!}\right)$$

$$= 2(-1)^{n} \sum_{\mu=1}^{p} (-1)^{p+\mu} n^{2p-2\mu+1} \sum_{j=\mu}^{p} \frac{\theta_{2j}}{(2j-2\mu)!} \pi^{2j-2\mu}.$$

Let r be an even number, i.e. r = 2p, where p = 1, 2, ... Then

$$\beta_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{2} \{ P(u) - P(-u) \} \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}u} \right)^{2p} \sin nu \, \mathrm{d}u$$

$$= (-1)^p \frac{2}{\pi} n^{2p} \sum_{j=1}^p \frac{\theta_{2j-1}}{(2j-1)!} \int_0^{\pi} u^{2j-1} \sin nu \, \mathrm{d}u$$

$$= (-1)^p \frac{2}{\pi} n^{2p} \sum_{j=1}^p \frac{\theta_{2j-1}}{(2j-1)!} (-1)^n$$

$$\times \left(\sum_{\mu=1}^j (-1)^{\mu-1} n^{-2\mu+1} \pi^{2j-2\mu+1} \frac{(2j-1)!}{(2j-2\mu)!} \right)$$

$$= 2(-1)^n \sum_{\mu=1}^p (-1)^{p+\mu-1} n^{2p-2\mu+1} \sum_{j=\mu}^p \frac{\theta_{2j-1}}{(2j-2\mu)!} \pi^{2j-2\mu}.$$

So by the use of Lemma 9,

$$\left| \int_{1}^{\infty} \frac{\mathrm{d}w}{w^{2}} \left| \sum_{n \leq w} n \beta_{n} q_{\alpha} \left(\frac{n}{w} \right) \right| < \infty,$$

i.e. $\sum \beta_n \in \left| N_{q_{\alpha}} \right|$. This terminates the proof of Theorem 1.

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